

lines 16 and 19, delete "a"; and  
line 20, delete "a" (first occurrence).

Page 5, lines 4, 10, 14 and 19, change "Further  
another" to --Another--;

line 6, change "input" to --inputting--; and  
line 17, delete "an".

Page 11, line 9, delete "a".

IN THE ABSTRACT:

Lines 2, 3 and 7, change "animating" to --moving--;  
Line 4, after "stored," insert --and--;  
Line 6, change ", and the" to --. The--; and  
Line 8, change "an animating" to --a moving--.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel Claims 14-23 and 38 without prejudice  
or disclaimer of the subject matter recited therein.

Please amend Claims 1-10, 13, 24-37 and 39 as  
follows:

*Sub D'7* 1. (Amended) [An animating] A moving image  
editing apparatus comprising:

decoding means for decoding moving [encoded  
animating] image data encoded by an encoding method that